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APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
09/887,628	06/22/2001	Vincent Chiang	15164.47	7405

TITLE OF INVENTION: SODIUM ACTIVATION OF AMYLASE

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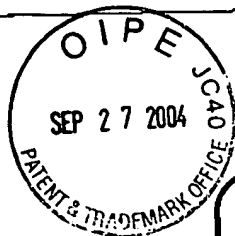
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	First Named Inventor	Vincent Chiang	
	Art Unit	1651	
	Examiner Name	Sandra E. Sauder	
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1010441-991380

Applicant(s): Vincent Chiang

Serial No.

09/887,628

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Invention: **SODIUM ACTIVATION OF AMYLASE****Mail Stop Issue Fee**  
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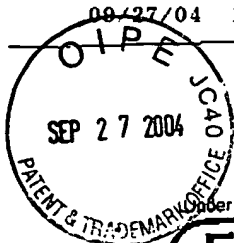
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1203 290	2203 145	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
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1403 290	2403 145	Request for oral hearing	
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